IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Applicant: Juan C. Cendan.

Examiner: Amanda S. Adams

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant requests a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated June 28, 2006, in the application identified above. Credit card authorization in the amount of \$60 is provided to cover the required fee.

Respectfully submitted

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